

- 1. The Cultural-Political Department in the Markgraf Police Presidium is now being organized on a considerable scale. It will occupy about ten rooms near the Presidial Department.
- 2. The Cultural-Political Department is not under Markgraf but rather under the Vice-President, Lehmann, who is directly responsible for the department to the Cultural-Political Branch (Hauptabteilung Polit-Kultur) of the German Administration of the Interior in Berlin-Wilhelmsruh.

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Comment: This development is a further step toward the complete incorporation of the Berlin Soviet Sector police into the police system of the Eastern Zone. It also indicates the introduction into the Berlin police organization of the practice of each unit having as first deputy a representative of the Polit-Kultur Branch.)

